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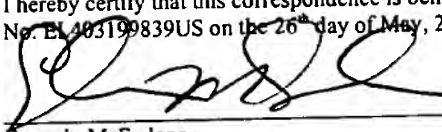
Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the specification and claims of the utility patent application of:

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Title of Invention: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTENT MANAGEMENT OVER NETWORK STORAGE DEVICES

Also enclosed are:

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X	OATH OR DECLARATION OF APPLICANT(S)		
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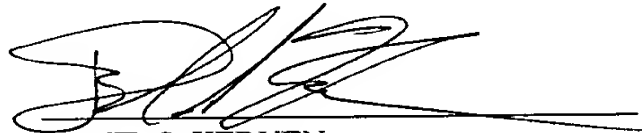
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CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT

TOTAL CLAIMS = $38 - 20 = 18 \times \$18.00 =$	\$324.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS = $5 - 3 = 2 \times \$78.00 =$	\$156.00
BASIC FEE =	\$690.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =	\$1,170.00
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Respectfully submitted,



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TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that I, **Brantley W. Coile**, having a post office address and residence address at 310 Cedar Creek, Athens, Georgia, 30605, U.S.A., a citizen of the United States of America, have invented new and useful improvements in a

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTENT MANAGEMENT OVER
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for which the following is a specification.